Attorney's Docket 081468-0307226 Client Reference: P-1743.010-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

S PATENT APPLICATION of:

PERTRUS RUTGERUS BARTRAY et al. Confirmation Number: 3169

Application No.: 10/735,847

Group Art Unit: 2851

Filed: December 16, 2003

Examiner: Hung Henry Nguyen

For: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 **Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING	HIGH	EST NO.							
	AFTER AMENDMENT	PRE\	/IOUSLY D FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDIT. FEE		
TOTAL	23		23	=	0	x	\$	_=	\$	
INDEP.	3	_	3	=	0	х	\$	=	\$	
FIRST PF	RESENTATION O	F MUL	TIPLE DEP	. CLAIN	И	+	\$	=	\$	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE									\$	
						(GRAND TOTAL		\$	0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

Date: September 21, 2004 PILLSBURY WINTHROP LLP P.O. Box 10500

McLean, VA 22102 (703) 905-2261

EMILY T. BELL Reg. No. 47418

Attorney Docket: 081468-0307226 Chant Reference: P-1743.010-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Confirmation Number: 3169

BARTRAY ET AL.

Application No.: 10/735,847

Group Art Unit: 2851

Filed: December 16, 2003

Examiner: Hung Henry Nguyen

Title: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 24, 2004, Applicants provisionally elect Group I, which includes Claims 1-19 and 23, with traverse. Applicants also respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows: